

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Car Time at Ridgway.

Table with 2 columns: Car Name/Direction and Time. Includes Erie Express East, do West, do Mail East, do West, Local Freight East, do West.

The Episcopal Sociable will be held at Hon. Henry Souther's next Thursday evening.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—A delightful toilet article—superior to cologne and at half the price.

Quite a fall of snow took place on Monday last, which yet remains with us. Not sufficient, however, for sleighing.

An error, through carelessness, occurs on our outside in the date of our paper. Instead of November, it should be December.

The Sewing Society connected with Grace Church, Ridgway, will hold its first meeting at Mrs. Henry Souther's on Thursday, December 12th, at one o'clock P. M.; and the Sociable in the evening. All friends are cordially invited to attend.

We are requested to state that there will be a public meeting of the citizens of Ridgway and vicinity, held in the Court House on tomorrow, FRIDAY EVENING, to take into consideration steps for the establishment of a Normal School at this place.

TERPSICHOEAN.—The lovers of this healthful and pleasurable amusement will be glad to learn that Col. Moore is going to give a ball on the evening of the 31st instant, at the Hyde House.—The Colonel knows how to make his guests comfortable, and we can guarantee to those attending, a pleasant time.

A GOOD HOTEL.—The Brockwayville Hotel, kept by Messrs. Wheeler & Cobb is said to be one of the best hotels in this section, and we can cheerfully recommend it as being so, if they keep up their former reputation. They propose giving a ball on Christmas, and we trust they will have a merry time.

Yesterday we stopped into the new store of H. S. Belnap, next door to the Hyde House, and was surprised to find such a large stock of Goods. He has his shelves literally crammed full of serviceable goods as were ever bro't to this county, and which he says he will sell cheaper than they can be bought any other place in Ridgway.

Our friend, J. V. Houk has returned from the eastern cities with a large and extensive assortment of seasonable and fashionable goods, such as are generally found in a first class country store. Houk is as fair a man to deal with as can be found anywhere, and should receive a full share of the public patronage. Give him a call.

Persons who intend making application for license at the coming term of court would do well to remember that notice of such application must be published three times in the county paper before going to the court. And as we shall in all probability issue no paper during the holidays, applicants should send in their names before next week's paper is issued. Our fee is \$1—cash.

Our usually quiet village was thrown into a furor of excitement on Monday last, by the appearance of three young men who had imbibed an extra supply of "benzine." They first went to the hotel of our aged friend, Thayer, and on being refused liquor, commenced dancing. To this Mr. Thayer kindly remonstrated; they still persisted, and Mr. Moyer, constable of Fox township, being present, was asked to arrest them, and upon his telling them to desist, they took up their line of march for the Hyde House, where, on learning that Mr. Moyer was not constable of Ridgway, went back to the Thayer House, and presenting a loaded revolver at the head of Mr. Moyer, compelled him to accompany them back to the Hyde House in order to prove that he was not the constable. As soon as they arrived there they were arrested by Mr. Moyer, who in turn took them before Justice Fuller for commitment. While the examination was going on, one of the party took "French leave," but was recaptured after a short run, and taken to jail.

In the evening a further examination was held before the same justice, who held them each to bail in the sum of \$1200, in default of which two of them were committed to answer at the coming term of Court.

LOOK HERE.—Any person living on the line of the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad, between Emporium, in Cameron county, and Warren, in Warren county, coming to Ridgway, and purchasing a stove of me, I hereby agree to pay their railroad fare to and from Ridgway. This offer is open till the First of January, 1868.

C. W. SERVICE. Ridgway, Pa., December 5, 1867.

The perfumed light Steals through the midst of alabaster lamps, And every air is heavy with the breath Of orange flowers that bloom In the midst of roses.

Such was the flowery land filled with healingflairs and life preserving products, where Mr. Drake discovered the chief ingredients of his wonderful Tonic Medicine—PLANTATION BITTERS—the enchanted tropical island of St. Croix. The PLANTATION BITTERS, combining all the medicinal and tonic virtues of the healing and the life-sustaining products of that favored clime, are, without doubt, the World's Great Remedy for Dyspepsia, Low Spirits, and all other Stomachic difficulties.

GODEY FOR JANUARY.—The best number of the best Lady's Magazine we have ever seen. It is really a gem. A piece of block printing is produced in this number, especially for the ladies, that is a novelty in this country. It is the figure of a stag, printed in eight colors, and is exceedingly beautiful; and we presume could not be purchased in the stores for double the price of the Book. The two steel plates are very fine, one of them contains three distinct pictures. The tinted cut—a speciality of Godey's is sweetly pretty; and the inimitable fashion-plate is beyond all praise. But the great feature of this number is Godey's extension plate of the latest fashions, two feet long, printed on both sides, making four feet—a new thing. There is no magazine that can get up a fashion equal to Godey. We know that they are true, for we know who it is that gets them up. The reading matter is decidedly good. Marion Harland's story will prove to be the best.

The Philadelphia National Refreshment saloons, where the soldiers from every part of the Union were fed during the late war were an honor to Philadelphia, and there is a peculiar propriety in the circumstance that Philadelphia should inaugurate a plan for the endowment of a National Institute, where the orphans of these same heroes may have a home and receive an education. This is what the Trustees of the Riversids Institute are aiming most successfully to accomplish. Acting under the charter of the Washington Library Company, incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania, they are offering stock at the low rate of one dollar per share, and will give to each subscriber a beautiful and valuable steel engraving, worth at retail more than the price of the stock, and as an additional inducement will distribute among the stockholders, presents valued at \$300,000. In the distribution every one has an equal chance to obtain large presents; one is worth \$40,000, another \$20,000, &c. We cannot refuse to do a patriotic and benevolent action on these terms.

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GUNS, PISTOLS, RIFLES, KNIVES, pocket and table cutlery, of the best quality and most approved pattern, for sale cheap at the Hardware Store on Biberger's old corner in St. Mary's. (n28'67)

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against buying a note given by me to Harvey Parsons for \$100.00, dated about the middle of May last, as I have not received value therefor, and will not pay it unless compelled by law. nov71867 W. SHOEMAKER

COAL, COKE AND FIRE-CLAY! All of superior quality, for sale by the Tannendale Coal Company, St. Mary's, Elk County, Pa. Orders by mail promptly attended to. [sept16 '67]

FURNITURE STORE AT ST. MARY'S, PA. SASH, DOORS AND FURNITURE! The subscriber keeps constantly on hand all sizes of Sash and Doors, also Wardrobes, Bureaus, Washstands, Bookcases, Tables, Desks, Lounges, Bedsteads, Sofas, &c. Picture Frames, Sash Painted and Glazed, All work warranted to be of the best material and workmanship. Call and examine my work and prices as I feel confident my work will give satisfaction and my prices are as low, if not lower than they are in any other market. CHAS. L. BAYER, my23467f. St. Mary's, Pa.

THE BEST IS ALWAYS THE CHEAPEST.

FURNITURE, COFFINS, PICTURE-FRAMES, &c. The undersigned having sold his interest in the wagon shop, now intends devoting his time exclusively to the Furniture trade. He has just received a large stock of the

BEST FURNITURE MADE

which he offers at prices that cannot fail to please. His stock consists of Bedroom Suits, Upholstered Goods, Bureaus, Washstands, Commodes, Lounges, Bedsteads of Maple, Oak, Whitewood and Black Walnut, Spring Beds and Mattresses, Extension, Dining, Breakfast, Tea Party and Quartette Tables, Chairs of every kind and description.

The largest assortment of Cane Seated Chairs ever brought into this section of the country, Farmer's Secretaries, What Nots, Brackets, and everything usually found in a First Class Furniture Ware Room

FURNITURE WARE ROOM

Picture Frames of every kind size or Quality, kept on hand and made to order. Looking Glasses, Looking Glass Plate and Pictures. We would call attention to our large stock of Coffins, consisting of Pine, Whitewood, Cherry, Chestnut and Black Walnut, any one of which we can furnish in three hours time, trimmed in any style to suit.

Metallic cases of any kind procured in three hours' time.

Feeling confident that with a liberal patronage, we shall be able to keep up a First Class establishment, we appeal to the people of Elk county, to say if it is not better to keep their money in circulation at home than to send it off to the cities where if they buy but little they are sure to get cheated and pay a good round sum into the bargain. Then let your motto be, never buy away from home what can be had just as cheap at home, and the cheapest place to buy Furniture in Western Pennsylvania is at H. H. Thomas' Ware Rooms, Excelsior Building, corner of Main and Depot streets, Ridgway, Elk county Pa. Oct. 31, 1867-ly. H. H. THOMAS.

THE MOST RELIABLE CUSHION used on Billiard Tables is the CAT-GUT CUSHION.

Manufactured by Kavanagh & Decker, and patented Dec 18, 1866. (See Scientific American, volume 16, number 11.) It is the ONLY Cushion that possesses all the qualities essential to a perfect Cushion. It is the most elastic and most durable Cushion ever offered to the billiard-playing public, as is abundantly proven by the great demand for it since its introduction. The peculiarity which distinguishes the CAT-GUT Cushion and renders it superior to all others, is the tightened cord of cut-gut which overlies the face and edge of the rubber, and running the full length of the Cushion, which prevents the ball from bedding into the rubber and jumping from the table. The addition of the cut-gut cord also adds much to the elasticity of the Cushion.

The CAT-GUT Cushion has already been applied to over 1000 tables which are in constant use. It can be applied to tables of any make, for \$75 per set. KAVANAGH & DECKER'S Factory, N. Y., is the most complete of its kind in the world. The machinery is of the most improved character, the lumber drying room the largest in the United States, the material used the best that can be purchased, and the workmen thoroughly skilled. Billiard Cloth, Balls, Cues and Trimmings, all of the best make, constantly on hand.

Kavanagh and Decker are the only agents in this country for KAY'S CEMENT. adjudged by competent authorities to be the best cement ever used. Full Size Tables cut down for \$100. Send for Illustrated Price List. KAVANAGH & DECKER, Cor of Centre and Canal Sts., n301y New York City.

VALUABLE LOTS FOR SALE.—The undersigned has laid out a village upon his ground adjoining the Ridgway Depot, to be called ELK. The lots are 50 feet front by 100 feet deep—fronting towards the railroad.

Terms.—For the first lot sold, \$100. For the second lot sold, \$110. For the third lot sold, \$120—and so on increasing in price as lots are sold.

First purchasers get the choice lot at the cheapest rates. Purchasers will be registered in the order of their application. Ten per cent of the purchase money must be paid at the time of the application. Applications will be made to John G. Hall, Esq., Ridgway, Pa. J. S. HYDE. Ridgway, mar, 29'66-4f.

INSURANCE AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE

THE LYCOMING COUNTY Mutual Insurance Company at Muncie, Pa., continues to insure against Loss or Damage by Fire on all kinds of Merchandise. Public and private buildings, either in town or country. Also on Mills, Tanneries, Barns, stocks of Grain, &c., at the lowest possible rates, consistent with safety to the Insurer and Insured. The Lycoming County, Mutual Insurance Company invites an investigation as to its stability. Its capital amounts to \$2,800,000!

Thus assuring to every one of its patrons that their losses will be promptly and satisfactorily paid. Its management has always been prudent, as its existence of twenty-six years fully demonstrates. JAMES BLAKELY, Agent for Elk county, at St. Mary's

JOHN G. HALL, Attorney at law, Ridgway, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'66-1y]

JOB WORK of all kinds and descriptions done at this office.

ALPINE HOUSE, St. Mary's Pa., Herman Kretz, Proprietor. aug9'66

D. R. W. JAMES BLAKELY Physician and Surgeon, St. Mary's, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'66-1y]

D. R. W. W. SHAW Practices Medicine and Surgery, Centreville, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'66-1y]

EXECUTIONS, SUMMONS, SUBPOENAS, Warrants, &c., on hand and for sale at this office.

L AURIE J. BLAKELY, Attorney at law, and U. S. Commissioner. Ridgway Elk county, Pa. [mar-22'66-1y]

C. H. VOLK, Manufacturer and Dealer in Lager Beer, opposite the Railroad Depot, St. Mary's, Elk county Pa. Mar-22'66-1y

SOUTHER AND WILLIS Attorneys at Law, Ridgway, Elk county Pa., will attend to all professional business promptly. [mar-22'66-1y]

D. R. W. B. HARTMAN, St. Mary's, Elk county, Pa. Late of the Army of the Potomac. Particular attention given to all cases of surgical nature. [mar-22'66-1y]

BORDWELL AND MESSENGER Druggists, Dealers in Drugs and Chemicals, Paints, Oils and Varnish. Perfumery Toilet articles and Stationary. Ridgway, Elk county Pa. [mar-22'66-1y]

D. R. J. S. BORDWELL Electric Physician. Late of Warren county Pa., will promptly answer all professional calls by night or day. Residence one door east of the late residence of Hon. J. L. Gillis. Mar-22'66-1y

JOHN G. HALL, JAS. K. P. HALL, HALL & BRO. Attorneys at Law, ST. MARY'S, BENZINGER P. O. ELK COUNTY, PA. September 20, 1866. 1y.

RAILROAD HOUSE. WHEELER & COBB, Proprietors. This house is conveniently and pleasantly located in the thriving village of Brockwayville. Every attention paid to the convenience of guests. Aug. 15.—1867if

THAYER HOUSE, RIDGWAY, PA. DAVID THAYER, Proprietor. The undersigned having fitted up a large and commodious hotel on the southwest corner of Centre and Mill streets, with good and convenient stabling attached, respectfully solicits the patronage of his old friends and the public generally. dec13'66 1y DAVID THAYER.

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BANKING-HOUSE OF Short, Hall & Co. St. Mary's, Benzinger P. O. ELK COUNTY, PENNA.

HYDE HOUSE, RIDGWAY, ELK CO., PA. M. V. MOORE, Proprietor. Thankful for the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon him, the new proprietor, hopes, by paying strict attention to the comfort and convenience of guests, to merit a continuance of the same. Oct 24 1866.

LICENSED AUCTIONEER. NOTICE is hereby given that I have taken on to a license as auctioneer, and will attend promptly to the calling of all sales entrusted to my care. Any person calling sales without a license will be held answerable to the strict letter of the law. P. W. BARRETT, Auctioneer. Dec241866if

EXCHANGEHOTEL, RIDGWAY, PA. J. HALEY Proprietor. This hotel is pleasantly situated on the banks of the Clarion River and Elk Creek, at the lower end of the village, Mr. Healy will spare no pains for the convenience of his guests, He invites one and all to give him a call and try his house. Sept. 17th'67-ly.

BLACKSMITHING! H. S. BELNAP desires to inform the citizens of Ridgway and vicinity that he has leased J. S. Hyde's Blacksmith Shop on Mill street, and has employed good workmen who will be ever ready to make anything from a buckle to an anchor. Particular attention given to the shoeing of horses. All I ask is a fair trial. May 17'66-1y.

H. F. OVERHOLTZER, MERCHANT TAILOR, Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa. The subscriber desires respectfully to inform the citizens of Ridgway and vicinity that he is prepared to make to order as well as it can be done anywhere, anything in the line of his business. All he asks is a fair trial. Good Fits guaranteed. Clothes, Cassimers, Vestings and Trimmings of the latest and most approved styles kept constantly on hand, which will be sold CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST. [aug30y]

SOMETHING NEW! HOUSE, SIGN & ORNAMENTAL PAINTING. THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Elk county that he has just started in the above business in Ridgway, and feel confident that he can please all who may favor him with their custom. GRADING, PAPER HANGING AND CALCIMINING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE AND IN THE most fashionable and improved manner and style. Orders left at this Office or at the Banking House of Souther, Willis & Souther will be promptly attended to. W. P. WILLIAMS, May-17'66-1y.

TAKE NOTICE! ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES indebted to the undersigned are hereby requested to call and settle their accounts at their earliest possible convenience. JOSEPH S. HYDE, Ridgway, August 1, 1867.

THE PLACE TO BUY IS AT THE RIDGWAY DRUG STORE.

KEPT BY GROVE G. MESSENGER, Dealers in Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, White Lead, Lubricating Oil, Lamp Oil, Tanner's Oil, Perfumeries of all kinds, The purest Varnish, Brushes of every Style and Size Dye Stuffs, Pure Confectionaries Citron, Raisins, Patent Medicines, Wines, Watches, Jewelry, Rings, Tobaccos & Segars Pure Liquors for Medicinal purposes only.

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Many remedies have been offered to the Public under different forms, some of these are injurious, others at best of little use, and many wholly improper to answer the purposes for which they are recommended. A judicious and really useful composition free from those objections, has therefore long been desired by many gentlemen who have valuable horses, and are unwilling to trust them to the care of designing and pretending Farriers. Their wishes are a length fully gratified, by Dr. Beale being prevailed upon to allow this valuable Emboction (which has proved so efficacious to the various diseases) to be prepared and brought out to the public.

This emboction was extensively used by the Government during the war. Address all orders to DR. EDMOND BEALE, 602, South Second St. Phil'a.

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BY PROF. CALVIN E. STOWE, D. D. A work of real value, and an almost indispensable companion of the Bible, showing what the Bible is not, what it is, and how to use it; answering all the objections to its authenticity urged by modern infidels, and tracing the authority of each book up to its inspired authors, giving a vast amount of information heretofore locked up in very rare and costly volumes, making one of the most popular books ever published.

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